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Mr. Dan Elsberg
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Dear Mr. Elsberg:

I was very interested in your recent article on Indochina published in the Washington Post. It expressed a view which I have shared for some time. For a more complete indication of my own position I am enclosing a reprint from the Record during the debate on my Cambodia amendment.

On another score I am sending along the substance and introductory statement to my recent resolution on admitting the People's Republic of China to the U.N. You will note that I amended my own resolution about a week after its original introduction. In good measure this amendment came from my reactions to the views expressed at the China conference which Senator Hughes and I and others sponsored early last month. I would be very interested in your comments on my recent statements regarding our China policy and particularly what you see to be the relation of our activities in Indochina to the opportunity for a change in our China policy.

Sincerely,


Mike Gravel